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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Sections 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98 of Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations, the following information is set forth in compliance with Applicants' duty of disclosure, as well as the duty of others substantively involved in the preparation of the above-titled application.

The Applicants and others substantively involved in the preparation or prosecution of the application are aware of the document listed on the enclosed PTO-1449 form and have enclosed a copy of the listed document.

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Pursuant to the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure, Chapter 609, Applicants request that the Examiner consider the listed document and initial and return to the undersigned a copy of the enclosed PTO-1449 form.

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